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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

August 28, 2012

Reviewed:

Mine Name: Quarry (Little Salt Creek Gypsum)	Permit Number: S/023/0096
Operator Name: Cox Transport Incorporated	Inspection Date: August 28, 2012
Inspector(s): Wayne Western	Time: 12:15 – 12:30 pm
Other Participants: none	Mine Status: ACT
Weather Condition: 91 degrees mostly clear sky	Last Inspection: July 15, 2010
Bond Renewal Date: 08/09/2010	Bond Amount: \$9,800.00
Surface Ownership: BLM	Mineral Ownership: BLM
Last Year of Production: 2008 was the last year production was reported. Production was noted during inspection.	Acreage: 2 acres

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer,	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Bond/Bond Release	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Annual Fees	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Annual Report	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Re-vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

This is a routine inspection.

Inspection Summary:

The bond needs to be updated due to escalation. The Division sent a letter date August 22, 2012 asking for additional bond and annual fees. The Permittee has not submitted annual reports since the 2008 annual report was submitted.

There was a backhoe with a hammer working on the site during the inspection.

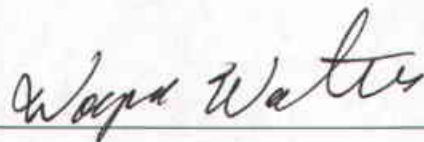
The Operator should consolidate all waste material into on pile and haul off waste material periodically.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The Division should continue to monitor the site. The Operator needs to update the bond and submit annual fees and reports.

Directions to Site:

Inspector's Signature

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Wapa Waters", written in dark ink over a horizontal line.

WHW:

cc: (OPERATOR)

Jerry Mansfield BLM

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Operator was actively mining during inspection.



Screening equipment on site



Front end loader and other equipment



Operator should remove trash periodically